

Bendon, Michigan
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Mr. Allen Welsh Dulles
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Dear Mr. Dulles:

In catching up with the news since my return from the Pacific, I was much interested to read in a recent issue of Collier's of the forthcoming report on the present American intelligence system. As a former member of O. S. S., I saw much of the need and deficiencies of intelligence both as it functioned in Washington and overseas. The need for an efficient and coordinated system is without question - any nation forewarned is already well prepared. Let me wish you and your committee every success with your investigation and report. It should do much to further American intelligence, making it a strong link in national security.

Sincerely yours,

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